

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 56

RESOLUTION CHAPTER 89

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 56—Relative to Joint Rule 51.

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LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

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This measure would change, from August 18 to August 25, the date upon which the Legislature concludes its summer recess in the first year of the 1997–98 Regular Session.

Resolved by the Senate of the State of California, the Assembly thereof concurring, That Rule 51 of the Joint Rules of the Senate and Assembly for the 1997–98 Regular Session is amended to read:

Legislative Calendar

51. (a) The Legislature shall observe the following calendar during the first year of the regular session:

(1) Organizational Recess—The Legislature shall meet on the first Monday in December following the general election to organize. Thereafter, each house shall be in recess from the time it determines until the first Monday in January, except when the first Monday is January 1 or January 1 is a Sunday, in which case, the following Wednesday.

(2) Easter Recess—The Legislature shall be in recess from the 10th day prior to Easter until the Monday after Easter.

(3) Summer Recess—The Legislature shall be in recess from July 18 until August 25. This recess shall not commence until the Budget Bill is enacted.

(4) Interim Study Recess—The Legislature shall be in recess from September 12 until the first Monday in January, except when the first Monday is January 1 or January 1 is a Sunday, in which case, the following Wednesday.

(b) The Legislature shall observe the following calendar for the remainder of the legislative session:

(1) Easter Recess—The Legislature shall be in recess from the 10th day prior to Easter until the Monday after Easter.

(2) Summer Recess—The Legislature shall be in recess from July 3 until August 3. This recess shall not commence until the Budget Bill is enacted.

(3) Final Recess—The Legislature shall be in recess on August 31 until adjournment sine die on November 30.

(c) Recesses shall be from the hour of adjournment on the day specified, to reconvene at the time designated by the respective houses.

(d) The recesses specified by this rule shall be designated as joint recesses.

